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METHOD OF PRODUCT	)	Barbara A. Johnson Date
PROCUREMENT AND CASH FLOW	)	
INCLUDING A MANUFACTURER,	)	
A TRANSLATION FACILITATOR,	)	
AND THIRD PARTY PAYOR	)	

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2004, a one month extension of time being hereby requested with fee included.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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